Asymmetric Warfare Group

Think, Adapt, Anticipate

Purpose

- Inform Career Counselors Of New Opportunities for Senior Enlisted Personnel
- Professional Development
- Develop Partnership With Career Counselors

Asymmetric Warfare

Asymmetric Warfare: Operations conducted by terrorists, guerillas, mi paramilitaries to limit US military effectiveness while achieving their p objectives. The operations are conducted at the strategic, operational, levels to attack military and civilian targets. Objectives of these opera undermine US/Allied political, military, economic, and psychological st and the will to win.

History

- HQDA creates IED Task Force in October 2003
- In April 2004, HQDA proposes the Asymmetric Warfare Regiment (AWR)
- June 2004, HQDA G3 directed establishment of the Asymmetric Warfare Group (AWG) as a FOA to HQDA G3
- Activated In March 2006

A need still exists for a comprehensive effort at the operational and tactical levels to mitigate capability gaps against a broader spectrum of threats, to include:

IEDs	Dirty bombs	Infrastructure attacks
Suicide bombers	Bio-weapons	Mortars and Rockets
Assassinations	Kidnappings	Emerging threats

What is AWG?

Special Mission Unit Teams

Formed Around Field

Knowledge and Intel Centric

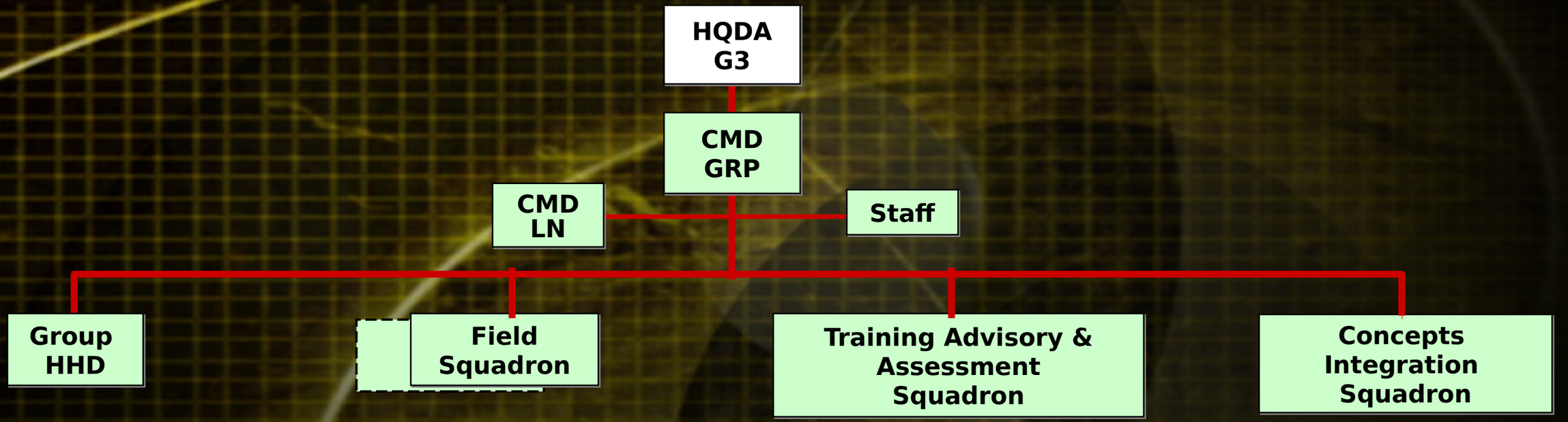
Highly Adaptive

Mentally Agile Forward Thinking Mindset

Information Sharing Exploitation

Multi-Tasked; Not Just IEDs

Organization



Support AWG HQ and Squadrons

Support tactical, operational, and theater units with deployed teams

Prepare commanders and units to get beyond the "discovery learning" level

Assist in identification, development and integration of countermeasure technologies

60% Military
40% Civilian

Who We Are

- Seasoned War Fighters
- Quiet Professionalism – Maturity
- Physically and Mentally Hard Mindset
- Works Independently
- Simplicity (When you Can)
- Creative Thinkers
- Advocate Change
- Aggressive
- Team Player

Field Team Squadron

- *4 Field Troops consisting of 12 members divided into 3 (4-man) Field Teams.*
- *Seasoned war fighters & functional experts.*
- *New tactics and countermeasures to defeat asymmetric threats.*

Field Team Prerequisites

- SFC-SGM (SSG(P))
- Two Years Platoon Sergeant Time at the time of Assessment
- CMF 11 – 13 – 19 – 21 – 31
- MOS 89D and 97E
- GT 110
- US Citizen
- Pass Security Background Investigation

Assessment Course

- Administrative Phase
  - AWG Combat Physical Fitness Test
  - Psychological Testing & Evaluation
- Evaluation Phase
- Commanders Board

Tactical Training Course
TTC

- Advanced rifle/pistol marksmanship training
- Basic & Advanced Demolitions & IED training
- Advanced Communication Training
- ATF Post-Blast Course
- Catastrophic Crime Scene Investigative Course
- Off Road & Evasive Driving (BSR)
- Asymmetric Warfare Training – Insurgencies & Terrorist Groups motivations, philosophy & tactics

Combat Support Positions

- SGT – 63B / 92Y/A
- SSG – 25 series / 42A / 74D / 92Y/A
- SFC – 11B / 13F / CMF 25 / 44C / 89D / 92Y / 96-97-98 series
- MSG – 11Z / 13Z / 18Z / CMF 25 / 42A / 74D / 89D / 92Y / 92Z / 98Z
- SGM – 00Z / 11Z / 13Z / 18Z / 25X / 97Z

Assignment with The AWG

Located at FT Meade

Potential

Advancement

New Equipment Fielding

Deployments

90 Day

Education Opportunities

Military Schooling

Professional Work Environment

Autonomy

A New Career Option For Senior Enlisted

Recruiting Team

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